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HISTORICAL AND GENEALOGICAL NOTES AND QUERIES.

KENNON RECORD.

The family record of the Kennons is as follows:

Lewis Kennon, son of Charles Kennon and his wife, Mary Howell (Lewis), was born in Halifax county, Va., 14th day of June, 1784.

Eliza Wyatt Winslow was born in Orange county, Va., 6th May, 1790.

Married to Lewis Kennon 23d January, 1816. Died 23d September, 1824.

(After her death.)—Dr. Lewis Kennon to Mary Chadwick, 10th of Jan. 1828, by Rev. Sam'l Davis, Burke county, Ga.

Children to Lewis Kennon and his wife, "Eliza":

Charles Henry Kennon, born 8th March, 1817, Saturday, P. M. Dead.

Charles Henry Kennon, born 24th May, 1818, Sunday, 1 o'clock.

(The latter was my father who, to inherit large properties entailed, took and retained the name of Winslow, his mother's maiden name.)

(My father married Maria Louisa Walter, daughter Jeremiah Walter and Elizabeth Wilmot, of Charleston, S. C.)

Children of Dr. Lewis Kennon and wife, Mary: Elizabeth W. Kennon, born September 20, 1778; Mildred L. Kennon, born May 18, 1781; Lewis Kennon, born June 14, 1784; Charles H. Kennon, born August 3, 1786; Nancy Kennon, born December 16, 1790; Mary B. Kennon, born April 3, 1795; Patsy, born Nov. 16, 1796; Lucy Kennon, born May 26, 1798; Richard Kennon, born May 28, 1800; William *Howell* Kennon, born March 14, 1802; Rebekah Kennon, born October 28, 1804; Eliza Kennon, born May 7, 1806; Erasmiss Kennon, born January 31, 1810; Sally Kennon, born November 20, 1811.

Children of Henry Kennon Winslow and Maria Louisa Walter: Randolph Bowling Winslow, Elizabeth Winslow.

William Poe Winslow married Annie L. Ludlow, New Orleans, January 31, 1880. Several children. He died New Orleans, May 8, 1899.

Elizabeth W. Kennon Winslow married Henry Darpit, April 25, 1881.

Children of Henry Darpit and E. W. K. Winslow; Bush, born February 4, 1882; Henry, born July 31, 1884; Walter, born July 24, 1886; Myrtle Dorothy, born December 11, 1893.

———, New Orleans, La.

NEW TAYLOR GENEALOGY.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ward Doremus, of No. 2 E. 15th St., New York City, (assisted by her cousin, Dr. T. Madison Taylor), proposes to publish a new and accurate geneaology of the Taylors, carrying it back in England, from James Taylor, of Carlisle, the first immigrant to Virginia.

She has already some important new data; but requests correspondence with any and all who can and will assist her.

She is a granddaughter of Gen. James Taylor, of Newport, Kentucky.

REVOLUTIONARY DIARY ETC., OF EPPA FIELDING.

Copy of love letter written by Eppa Fielding, a soldier of the Revolution, while stationed at Richmond, to his sweetheart, Mary Barye, of Northumberland county, who later became his wife. His diary kept 1782-1783, is now owned by their grandson, William Eppa Fielding, Esq., of Arkansas.

RICHMOND, March 2, 1782.

Most adorable of thy Sex—

.....It is with pleasure & the greatest Sattisfaction that I embrace this happy oppertunity of unfolding my burthened mind to you whose gracious Smiles Can at once dispell my Gloom of darkness, bless my mournful hours with the hope of future hapiness. I am to my no Small Sattisfaction Stationed at this place where I expect to Continue the Remainder of my time, but oh when I Consider that amidst my unequaled misfortunes I have the happiness of being where I Can with Safety write her who is the only object of my sincerest wish, but oh when I consider the misfortune of my negligeant Stars that So long forbids me the enjoyment of your Sweet Company I fear lest time or absence may lessen me in your esteem which would break the truest heart that ever lov'd & bury my unhappy Memory in the deep recesses of the —— unsearchable Grave—But enough of this. Why should I accuse you of what I have Not the least reason to believe. But my dearest Jewell Lett fortune frown as it will & all the powers of nature Combine Against us only prove time Constant, & all the powers of earth & hell Can never frustrate our careful Desighns.

I expect to be down Next fall in order to celebate the long wished for nuptials, which will Constitue me the most happy mortal alive & till the arrival of that happy moment I remain with the utmost reverence & esteem your devoted adorer till Death shall (put) a final period to my unhappy life, or kind providence shall Dispell my Gloom of Darkness and turn my midnight night into the brightest day in the enjoyment of your Sweet Company.

EPPA FIELDING.

John Dennie Fielding, a son of Eppa Fielding, and Mary, his wife, was born November the 16th, in the year 1785.

DIARY OF EPPA FIELDING, OF LANCASTER COUNTY.

[This itinerary illustrates the march of the reinforcements sent from Virginia to Greene, and the activity of the Southern army at the close of the war.]

MANCHESTER, April ye 1, 1782.

Marching orders came to me to go to three Different places in that day the 1 to Comberland C. house, the 2 to richmond, the 3 to Petersburg wich I obayd. The 10 of April I marched to the Suthard, the 14 I Crost Notoway the 17; crost Meherrin the 19; crost ronoke to hallifax in North Carolina; left Hallifax the 28, and to Tare river, the 1 of May, which is 50 miles. The 2 crost little river and Dury's, 12 miles; and the 3 to widow Rogers' ferry 8 miles on Muse river. The 6 crost Muse and Crabbtree to Colo. Lain's at Wake Court, 10 miles; the 7 to Jones, 15 miles; the 8 to Cape fair river, 17 miles; the 9 crost Cape fair to Augis Mcdugle's, 3 miles; the 10th to Widow Con ers, 8 miles; the 11 to Coloms 6 miles; the 12 old Bello, 15 miles; the 13 to cross Creek, 4 miles; the 16 to John Toolsey, 12 miles; the 17 to John Patterson, 21 miles; the 18 crost drowning creek at Cole's bridge 21 miles; the 19 to Hailey's ferry on Pedee, 12 miles; the 20 to old Pegees', 10 miles in South Carolina. The 22 to Capt. Pledges', 15 miles, the 23 crost pede at Culp s ferry, and to Mr. Williams, 15 miles; the 25 to John Michaels, 15 miles; the 26 to old berches on pede, 17 miles; the 28 to widow Ports on pede, 17 miles; the 29 crost Lynches Creek, and to Major Jameses, 10 miles; the 30 to Robin Dick's, 8 miles; the 31 to kingtree on black river, 13 miles. June the1, to Colo. Stark's, on Sante, 17 miles, the 3 to Canter's, 9 miles; the 4 crost Sante at Murry's ferry, and to Gilliard's, 12 miles; the 5 to Mr. Burdose, 10 miles; the 7 crost Sante at Murry's ferry, to Colo. Stark's, 12 miles; the 26 crost Sante at Murry's, and to Awkir, 3 miles; the 27 to General Mutres', 12 miles; the 28 Mr. Right's, 18 miles; the 29 to Bender's, 12 miles; the 30 to Governor Mattheses', 12 miles. July the 5, we were all put in the Infantry; the 12 to Mr. butler's, 3 miles; the 31 to mumps Corner to * * * bro, and to Mr. White's, 60 miles. The 1 August, crost Sante at Murry's ferry, to Colo. Stark's, 5 miles; the 2nd crost Murry ferrie to Colo. Markum's, 7 miles; the 3 to the governor's place, 40 miles; the 16 joined our regt. and marched to Summer's place, 4 miles, the 17 to Latson's. The 11 of September, to Latson * * * . The 14 of November, to button hall, 10 miles; the 18 to Macferson's, 8 miles. The 11 of December crost Bacon's bridge to Rite's place, 12 miles; the 14 to Charles Town, 19 miles; the 16 to Rite's place, 19 miles; the 18 crost Bacon's Bridge to the Cowpens, 10 miles; the 19 to Wilkerson's Place, 15 miles; the 30 to Jackson burner, 7 miles. Jan. 1, 1783, to Ashepie ferry, 8 miles; the 2 Salt Cetcher ferry, 18 miles; the 3 to Waxsaws, 22 miles; the 5 to Mr. haywood's, 3 miles. Our command February the 4 to * * * Shose, 15 miles; the 5 to Capt. Kirkley, 37 miles; the 6 to Mr. Robberson's, 23 miles; the 7 to Golfin's, 20 miles; the 8 to Hardy, 8 miles; the 9 crost Savana River at Valley horne ferry and to aGusty, 5 miles; Hardises, 6 miles; the 12 to Collenses, 25 miles. The 13 we received an Express to go out to the Congeree, and got to Mr. Buck-

son's, 26 miles; the 14 crost the Salt Cetcher river at Williamses ford, and to Pickinszes, 25 miles; the 15 to the widdow Mimucker, 23 miles; the 16 crost the Salt Cetcher at Orrin Bridge, and crost the Congeree at one Cosrd's ferry to the widow Lezeais. * * * * * * *

July the 20, crost Swift Creek and fishing Creek, and to Hallifax, 40 miles; the 21 crost Ronoke and Meherrin at Tickses ford, and to Tickes, 20 miles; the 22 to widow Larneces, 10 miles.

[On one page is a notice of repair work of saddles done for the "3 Regt. L. D." The only names of the soldiers given are Col. White, Henry Boyers, Charles Erskin and Jasper Huse.]

WARD.—Wanted the ancestry of Samuel Ward, born August 20, 1721, or in 1724. Died at Morris Plains, N. J., April 15, 1799. Reared by an elder brother on the South Branch of the Potomac river, Virginia, where the family went about 1735, and occupied a free farm offered by Governor Gouch. Having secured no title in due form, they were subsequently obliged to vacate the farm by Lord Fairfax, and Samuel removed to New Jersey, and married first, Elizabeth ——; second, Mary Shipman, and had a large family.

C. D. WARD,

702 St. Nicholas avenue, New York City.

THE HOUSE OF BURGESSES, 1691.

April 17, 1691. Journal of the House of Burgesses of Virginia Thomas Milner elected Speaker, and Peter Beverley, Clerk.

LIST OF BURGESSES.

William Randolph,
Francis Eps,
Henrico County.
Henry Batt,
Robert Bowling,
Charles City County.
Henry Hartwell,
James City.
Henry Bray,
William Lewis,
James City County.
Tho. Barber,
Jos. Ring,
York County.
Lawrence Smith,
John Smith,
Gloucester County.
Arthur Allen,
Geo. Mason,
Martin Scarlett,
Stafford County.
Charles Scarborough,
William Anderson,
Accomack County.
John Robins,
Tho. Harmanson,
Northampton County.
Anthony Lawson,
John Sandiford,
Lower Norfolk County.
Chr. Robinson,
William Churchill,
Middlesex County.
Robert Carter,
William Ball,
Lancaster County.

Francis Mason,
Surrey County.
Arthur Smith,
Henry Applewhite,
Isle of Wight County.
Tho. Milner,
John Brassier,
Nancymond County.
Richard Whitaker,
Miles Cary,
Warwick County.
John West,
William Leigh,
New Kent County.
Richard Kenner,
Peter Prestly,
Northumberland County.
William Hardidge,
Lawrence Washington,
Westmoreland County.
William Wilson,
Tho. Allonby,
Elizabeth City County.
Henry Aubrey,
John Stone,
Rappahannock County.

THE CLERK SWORN.

April 20. Major Arthur Allen having scruples about being sworn, the fact was reported to the Lieutenant-Governor.

A new writ ordered for selection of a burgess in place of Mr. Arthur Allen.

April 27. Benjamin Harrison sworn, being returned in place of Major Arthur Allen.

CALENDAR OF STATE PAPERS, COLONIAL SERIES, AMERICA AND WEST INDIES, 1689-1692. Edited by the Hon. J. W. Fortescue. London: Eyre & Spottiswoode. 1901. [pp. 412-413.]

This list is not included in the Colonial Virginia Register, as it was not accessible when that was compiled.

GENERAL ROGER ELLIOT, HALF BROTHER TO GOVERNOR ALEXANDER SPOTSWOOD.

[The Virginia family of Spotswood owned for several generations a fine portrait of a man in armor, said, traditionally, to be a General Elliott, half brother to Governor Spotswood. This portrait, together with those of Governor and Mrs. Spotswood was presented by the late Mr. John R. Spotswood to the State of Virginia, and is now one of the most interesting pictures in the State Gallery. Nothing was known of General Elliott until quite recently, when a descendant, Miss Edith Eliot, of Camberley, England, kindly furnished the information given below. William Elliott, Esq., of York Buildings, who is mentioned, appears to have been associated with Governor Spotswood in his iron ventures. This William Elliot had a son, Charles Elliott, who was Attorney General of North Carolina, and died in 1756. (See *Wm. & Mary Quarterly*, II, 101-105). The "cousin," John Graham, named in the will, came to Virginia as an agent for Spotswood, and was at one time a professor at William and Mary College.]

WILL OF ROGER ELLIOTT.

This is the last will and testament of me, Roger Elliott, of Barnes, in the County of Surrey, Esqre., made this 7th day of March, in the 12th year of the reign of our Sovereign Lady Anne, by the grace of God of Great Britain, France and Ireland, Queen, defender of the Faith, Anno Domini, 1713. First. I resign my soul to Almighty God, stedfastly believing through the merits of my Saviour, Jesus Christ, to obtain pardon of all my sins, and I desire to be buried privately, as my executors herein after named, shall think fitt and, whereas, I have intemarried with Charlott, the daughter of Mr. William Elliott, and have already made provision and Settlement for her in case she shall happen to survive me, of two hundred pounds per annum in annuities; now, I do hereby further give unto my said wife all my goods, plate and furniture of and in my house or tenement, I now live in, at Barnes, in the Said County of Surry, with all her rings, watches, jewells and other things whatsoever there.

Item. I give to my son, Granvile Elliott and to his heirs for ever all that my aforesaid messuage or tenement gardens and lands lying in Barnes Aforesaid, with the Appertenantes which said messuage and premises being copyholds, I have duly surrendered to the use of my will.

Item. I give and bequeath to my brother, Alexander Spottswood, in case my said children shall dye before they come to their ages of one and twenty years, or unmarried, all the profitts of my reall and personall Estate for and during the terme of his naturall life, and no longer, and from and after my said Brother Spottswood's decease. I give and devise all my real and personall Estate wheresoever and whatsoever to my very loving Father-in-law, Mr. William Elliott, in York Buildings, and to his heirs, executors and administrators for ever.

I give to my cousin John Grahme, twenty pounds to buy him mourning.

Item. I give to my sister, Margaret Andrews, the summe of three hundred pounds, and to my brother, Alexander Spottswood, the sum of five hundred pounds.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto sett my hand & seal the day and year first above written; and then published and declare the same to be my last will and testament.

R. ELLIOTT.

Signed, Sealed, published and declared in the presence of us,

EDWARD D'AUVERGNE,
RICH'D BOWLES,
N. TRAYTON.

At London, March the Seventh, one thousand, seven hundred and Thirteen years, I having made my will this day, and calling to remem-

GENERAL ROGER ELLIOTT,

HALF BROTHER OF GOVERNOR ALEXANDER SPOTSWOOD.

(From the portrait in the Virginia State Library.)

brance that there is a sum of money due by me to my brother, Col. Alexander Spotswood, Governor of Virginia, near to, but not exceeding two hundred pounds, I do hereby acknowledge the debt, seeing there is no other note, Bond or vouchers for it, and wills and allows the same should be paid him over and above what Legacy, &c., he may be entitled to by my aforesaid will. In witness, whereof, I have signed this day and place above written.

This will was probated at Somerset House, London, 16 November, 1714, and copied by Edithe Eliot from the original.

The seal was copied, in the first instance, by the Richmond Herald of Arms, College of Arms, London.

EDITHE ELIOT.

EXTRACTS FROM THE HISTORY OF THE 2ND QUEEN'S REGIMENT.
By Col. John Davis, F. S. A.

TANGIER REGT. OF FOOT.

1681. Considerable disturbances appear to have taken place amongst the officers at the latter end of the year, and after reporting these disturbances, Col. Kirk was ordered to cashier two Ensigns, who had fought a duel (Ensigns Pitt and Elliott), John Leily was appointed to succeed Elliot as Ensign in Sir. James Leslie's Company.

1682. Ensign Elliot, who had been discharged from the service of the garrison, in consequence of a quarrel, proceeded home this month, with a letter from the governor, recommending him to the King's notice to be preferred to the first colours that should fall here (i. e., the Ensign's commission vacant), as he had since his fault made satisfaction by serving as a private soldier in the same company with credit and distinction.

(Governor Colonel Percy Kirk.)

OFFICERS ON 1ST OCTOBER, 1682.

Ensign Roger Elliot in Colonel Kirk's Regiment.

P. 251. *R.* Elliot. Ensign in Sir. James Leslie's Co'y.

[R. Elliot's connection with Tangiers is easily explained as Robert Spotswood, his step-father is given in Col. Dalton's Commission Lists as "Chirurgeon to the garrison.]

EXTRACTS FROM ENGLISH ARMY LISTS AND COMMISSION REGISTERS.

By Col. Dalton.

Vol. I. The Tangier Regt. of Foot.

[From the list in Col. Davis' History of the 2nd Queen's Regt., Vol. I, p. 228, extracted from the Dartmouth MSS.) Ensign Roger Elliot.

Robert Spotswood, Chirurgeon to Tangier Garrison, 3rd Son of Sir Robert Spottiswoode, Knt., Secretary for Scotland.

Vol. II. The Earl of Bath's Regt. of Foot.

November 1687. Lieutenant Roger Elliot, 1st.

Adjutant Roger Elliot.

Note 9.—Roger Elliot was wounded at the Battle of Steinkirk.

Captain of the Grenadier Company in this regiment 1 March, 1690.

Major in do. 21 December, 1692.

Vol. III. Roger Elliot, promoted major 21 Dec., 1692. Appointed Col. of a newly raised Regt. of Foot, 5 March, 1703. Served in Spain, and was promoted Brigadier, 1 Jan., 1707.

Governor of Gibraltar 24 Dec., 1707.

Major-General 1 Jan., 1710.

Vol. V. Colonel Roger Eliot's newly raised Regt. of Foot.

Capt. Roger Elliot note.

Served as Ensign in the Tangier Regt. of Foot (the 2nd Queen's); appointed 1st Lieut. of Grenadiers in the Earl of Bath's Regt. of Foot. Capt. of Grenadiers 1690. Wounded at the Battle of Steinkerk; major 21 Dec., 1692. Brigr. General 1 Jan., 1707. Appointed governor of Gibraltar, 24 December, 1707. Major General, 1 Jan., 1710.

Elliot (1) = Catherine Mercer = (2) Robert Spotswood

Roger Elliot, Governor of Gibralter. — Alexander Spotswood, Governor of Virginia.

William Elliot, of Wells.

Roger Elliot, md., 3d March, 1710, Charlotte.

Eleanor, md. Sir Gilbert Eliott, of Stobbs., from whom descended George Augustus Eliott, first Lord Heathfield, and *Defender* of Gibralter.

Granville Elliot, b. 1712, died 1759, was on service in Germany, Count of the Holy Roman Empire, Major-General in British Service, Lieutenant-General in Elector Palatine's Service, Lieutenant-General in Service of the States, General of the Netherlands; md. Elizabeth, daughter of William Duckett de Hartham, in Wilts.

Francis Percival Eliot, of Elmhurst Hall, Staffordshire, b. 1755, died 1818. Captain 14th Foot; Major Staffs. Yeo. Cav'y; Lieutenant-Colonel Staffs. Militia; md. Anne, daughter of John Breynton, D. D., of Montgomeryshire.

1st. William Granville Eliot, of Valebrook, Ore., Surrey, Lieutenant-Colonel R. H. Artillery; 2d. Francis Breynton Eliot, Captain 40th Reg't; 3d. *Edward John Eliot*. Captain 27th Reg't; 4th. George Augustus Eliot, 62d and 103d Reg't; 5th. Lionel Duckett Eliot; 6th. George Augustus Eliot, R. N.; 7th. Charles Turberville Eliot. The third son, Edward John Eliot, md. Margaret James.

Third son, Henry Augustus Eliot, Principal Bank of England, md. Mary Louisa Sarah Nash.

1. Roger Elliot; 2. Granville Elliot; 3. Frank Percival Eliot; 4. Edward John Eliot; 5. Henry Augustus Eliot; 6. Edithe Eliot.

Major-General Roger Elliot died 15th May, 1714, and was buried in Barnes Parish Church, 23d May, 1714. His death is referred to in *Musgrave's Obituary*, *Helps to History*, *Le Neve's Monumenta Anglicana.*

The William Elliot, of York Building, you mention is William Elliot, of Wells, grandfather of 1st Lord Heathfield, and Waggaman is his son-in-law.

ACCOUNT OF MAJOR GENERAL ROGER ELLIOT, given by his son Granville, in the draft of a memorial concerning his transfer from the Dutch to the English Service:
"is the Son of Major General Elliott, Governor of Gibraltar, and "Colonel of a Regt. of foot in Queen Anne's Reign; his father besides "having an unblemished and distinguished character in his military "capacity , was remarkable for his Whig Principles, and the strongest "attachment to the Protestant Succession in the House of Hanover. "An action by which he particularly distinguished himself was the "Defence of Tongres in the year 1703, with only two Battalions for 48 "hours against the whole French army; in this action he was shot "through the Body, and had a Regt. raised for him the winter after. "When the Duke of Marborough was turned out, Major General Elliott "lost his Government and his Regt. for the sake of his avowed princi-"ples. His son was carefully bred up in those same principles, and has "ever stedfastly adhered to them."

Rapin's History, Vol. III, p. 613, says: "The two English regiments of Elliot & Portmore made a gallant defence of Tongres in May, 1703, but had to surrender to the French."

JOHN GRAME.—Miss Eliot would be much obliged for any information concerning Mr. John Grame, cousin of Governor Alexander Spotswood, especially about his seal and will.

Elmhurst, Camberley, Surrey, England.

EDWARD RANDOLPH.—Historical Register: containing An Impartial Relation of All Translations, Foreign and Domestic, with a Chronological Diary of All Remarkable Occurrences in Birth's, Marriages, and Deaths, &c.

Vol. 14.—For the year 1729.

London: Printed and Sold by R. Nutt, in the Old Bailey, near Ludgate.

Page 20—1729—Mar. 15.

"Captain Edward Randolph, a Virginia Merchant, of London, elected Elder Brother of Trinity House, in the Room of Capt. John Merry—Deceased."

[This was Edward, son of the first Wm. Randolph, of Turkey Island.]